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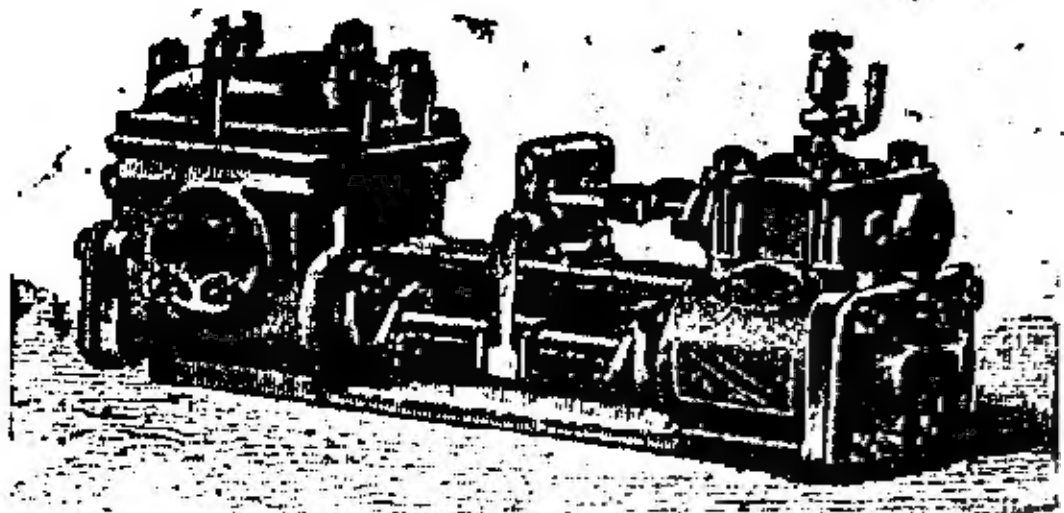
HONGKONG, TUESDAY, AUGUST 29, 1899.

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Business Notices.

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17, PRAYA CENTRAL.

PUMPS, PACKINGS, AND GENERAL STORES.
STEAM LAUNCHES BOUGHT,
SOLD OR BUILT TO ORDER,
By W. S. BAILEY,
Consulting and Superintending Engineer and Surveyor.

THE PUNJON MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

IN Accordance with Articles Nos. 26 and 27 of the Articles of Association of the Company, Notice is hereby given that the following SHARES will be liable to be FORFEITED, unless the CALL DUE on the 17th DAY of APRIL LAST be PAID, together with Interest at 10% per Annum, at the Office of the Company, No. 9, PRAYA CENTRAL, on or before the 1st day of September, 1899.

The following are the distinguishing NUMBERS of the ORDINARY SHARES:—

57477, 57501	55891, 55910
11961, 11985	34369, 34391
59166, 59190	30215, 30234
10245, 10269	23011, 23035
58142, 58162	32141, 32165
28562, 28582	45029
20667, 20691	65129, 65148
21652, 21676	46070, 46110
25723, 25743	47301, 47310
32044, 32064	47810, 47830
25614, 25634	47830, 47850
50105, 50125	49705, 49729

W. H. GASKELL,
Hon. Secretary,
Hongkong, August 17, 1899.

WANTED.

A MANAGER for the INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS AND SHIPBUILDERS. Must be acquainted with BOOK-KEEPING. Apply by Letter, stating terms expected, to the Hon. Secretary, at the Institution, 2 Praya Central.

ARCH. RITCHIE,
Hon. Secretary,
Hongkong, August 19, 1899.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

CONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS are requested to send in a Statement of Business Contributions during the Half-Year ended 30th June, 1899, on or before the 15th September, on which date the Accounts will be CLOSED.
By Order of the Board of Directors,
THOS. I. ROSE,
Secretary,
Hongkong, August 24, 1899.

HONGKONG ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Hongkong Electric Company, Limited, will be held at the Company's Offices, Queen's Buildings, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 10th day of September, 1899, at 12 o'clock Noon, when the proposed Resolution which was Passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 26th day of August, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution.

RESOLUTION.

1.—That the Capital of the Company be increased to the sum of \$500,000 by the issue of 50,000 New Shares of \$10 each, which shall be considered part of Original Capital and be subject to the provisions in the Articles of Association contained with reference to Calls Transfer transmission, lien, surrender, voting power and otherwise, and that the Directors be authorized to issue such New Shares at par.
2.—That the said New Shares be offered to the Person who on the 10th day of September, 1899, shall be Registered Member of the existing Share in the proportion of a New Share for each existing Share held by them.
By Order of the Board,
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents,
Hongkong, August 28, 1899.

HONGKONG ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTER OF SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 10th to the 23rd day of September, (both days inclusive), during which Period NO TRANSFER OF SHARES can be Registered.
By Order of the Board,
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents,
Hongkong, August 28, 1899.

HONGKONG HOTEL.

FOR COMFORT UNSURPASSED
IN
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THREE MAGNIFICENT PIANOS

A BABY GRAND, - - \$900.
A SEMI GRAND, - - \$1,100.
A UPRIGHT GRAND, - - \$1,200.
Cash or Monthly Installments.

NOW ON VIEW AT
LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.'S MUSICAL DEPARTMENT.

COTTAM & Co.

FOR CHRISTYS AND TOWNEND'S HATS,
COURT AND EVENING DRESS SHOES, Etc., Etc.

MANILA CIGARS.

HARVEY'S
ROYAL TAWNY PORT.

THE DUC DE MONTEBELLO CHAMPAGNE

Hongkong Agent: W. HUTTON POTTS.
Office: DAIRY FARM BUILDING, Below Glenadey.

THE PHARMACY,

22 Queen's Road Central (Opposite the Entrance to the Hongkong Hotel)

THIS Business has been under entirely New Management since August 1st. All Prescriptions dispensed by a qualified Chemist. Special attention paid to French and all other Foreign formulae.

Homeopathic Medicines. Medicine Chests Refitted.
LAURENOL A New Odorless, Non-dangerous Disinfectant.
Wines and Spirits. Cigars.
Manager, RICHARD FLINT.

THE HONGKONG COTTON SPINNING AND DYEING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ANNUAL ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Office of the General Managers on SATURDAY, the 9th September Next, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Consulting Committee, and Statement of Accounts to the 31st July, 1899, also for the consideration of the following Extraordinary Resolution, which will be submitted to the Meeting:—
"That in paragraph 2, Clause XVI., in Articles of Association, the figures \$1,000,000 be substituted for \$500,000."
JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.
General Managers,
Hongkong, August 24, 1899.

WANTED.

A EUROPEAN BOOK-KEEPER, thoroughly conversant with Book-keeping in English.
Apply personally,
S. J. DAVID & Co.,
3rd Floor, Queen's Buildings,
Hongkong, August 28, 1899.

Business Notices.

BELL'S ASBESTOS EASTERN AGENCY, Ltd.

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BELL'S ASBESTOS PACKINGS
ARE THE BEST.
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KINGHORN & MACDONALD,
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CANADIAN BUTTER.

In Prime Condition.
Received direct from the Canadian Department of Agriculture.

FRENCH ISIGNY BUTTER.

Fresh Supply just Received.

PRICE.
1 lb. tins \$0.75
2 lbs. tins \$1.10
Per 1 lb. tin 80 Cents

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It is impossible to procure in Hongkong A WHITE ZINC PAINT which is Superior to
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THE PEAK HOTEL is Situated at VICTORIA GAP, adjoining the TRAINWAY STATION, 1350 feet above Sea Level.

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Fine Healthy Location—Variety of Beautiful Scenery, Cool Southerly Breezes in Summer, with perfect protection against the North East Winds in Winter.

Well appointed Rooms, attentive Service, and excellent Cuisine.

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CLETEAS HYGIENIC CORDIAL.

Per 1 dozen flasks \$15.00

Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co.,
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SPECIAL LIQUEUR, 10 YEARS OLD HIGHLAND WHISKY.

FERGUSON'S SPECIAL CREAM

BREADALBANE HIGHLAND WHISKY.

These are the finest productions of Scotland; devoid absolutely of all deleterious matter.

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We have come to stay,
And supply all comers
Thoroughly, cheaply, promptly,
Keeping up our fairly-won reputation
In Hongkong and all parts of the East.
Nothing daunted by the croakings of the timid
Spot Cash has been our watchword and
It has carried us to Victory.

Look at our achievements.
In honesty we found the best policy.
Money, energy, defiant to competition,
In season and out of season we persevered;
To-day we present to the world a Combination
Edifying, encouraging, enchanting to those who
Defeated all enemies and opponents, and
Led to Victory.

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SHEWAN, TOMES & Co., General Managers.

ENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY

WILL dispatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES

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FOR: STRAITS. CAPTAIN. DATE.

SHANGHAI J. F. JERVISON About 1st Sept.

LONDON, &c. J. STEWART Noon, 2nd Sept.

YOKOHAMA, Via S. DE B. LOCKYER, R.N.R. 4 p.m., 2nd Sept.

YOKOHAMA, Via A. G. CURRY, R.N.R. About 7th Sept.

YOKOHAMA, Via W. H. HAUGHTON, R.N.R. About 13th Sept.

LONDON, &c. C. F. LOCKSTONE, R.N.R. About 21st Sept.

* See Special Advertisement
For Freight or passage, and further Particulars, apply to
H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
Hongkong, August 29, 1899.

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A LIGHT PILSENER BEER,

IN HOCK BOTTLES.

Per case of 4 dozen quarts - - \$13.
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WE CAN ALWAYS WELL SUPPLY YOUR EVERY NEED FROM DAY TO DAY. If You Doubt It, Come and TRY AT
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EX S. S. FORMOSA, NEW MILLINERY, &c.,
LATEST NOVELTIES IN LADIES' APPAREL.

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FINE
OLD SCOTCH WHISKY.

Sole Agents:—THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY,
HONGKONG.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

OUTWARD :—*Alaka*, June 30; *Edwin*, July 4; *Elmer*, 11; *Jane*, 18; *Therlie*, 23; *Katich*, March, *Valerie*, *Baleberg*, August 1; *Glanester* City, *Paulett*, 4; *Glenfing*, *Pukling*, *Bermada*, *Colchua*, *St. Irene*, *B. Gaudin*, *Lawn*, *Vanadonau*, *Saratu*, *Yankee*, 11; *Renech*, *Mary*, *St. Gultand*, *Fortyfour*, 18; *Therlie*, *Lucy*, *Abercrombie*, *Amery*, *Affindoun*, *Amber*, 22; *Glenfing*, *Siam*, *Jeta*, *St. Irene*, *Orestes*, *Pladimir*, 25.

HOMEWARD :—*Jada*, *Marya*, August 11; *Tantula*, 15; *Sanna*, *Africa*, 18; *Caledonia*, 25.

Mails.

The P. M. S. S. City of *Palmy*, with the *THE MERCANTILE MARINE*, Yokohama, on Friday, the 25th August, at day-light, and may be expected here on or about Saturday, the 2d Sept.

The P. & O. Co.'s S. S. *Paulett*, with the *ENGLISH MAIL* of the 1st of August, left Singapore on Monday, the 25th August, at 1 P. M., and may be expected here on or about Saturday, the 2d Sept. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on 1st of July.

The T. K. K. S. *Angely* *Mary*, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port on Monday, the 10th of August, under Capt. Kobbe, Nagasaki Island, on the 17th Aug.

The C. P. R. Co.'s *Brit. Empress* of Japan, left Vancouver, B. C., on Wednesday morning, the 23rd inst., for Hongkong, via usual ports of call.

Steamers expected.

The S. S. *Hylon*, from Calcutta, left Singapore for this port on the afternoon

The N. Y. K. s.s. *Tanaka Maru* left Singapore for this port on the 25th Aug., and is expected to arrive here on the 30th Aug.

The N. Y. K. s.s. *Mishi Maru*, left Kobe, via Meiji for this port on the 26th August, and is expected to arrive here on the 31st Sept.

The C. N. Co. Ltd. steamer *Taiwan*, from Australian ports, will leave Manila on the 29th Aug.

The H. A. L. steamer *Suezat*, from Hongkong, left Singapore for this port on the 26th Aug., and may be expected here on or about the 1st Sept.

The s.s. *Pindido*, from Middlesbrough and London, left Singapore on the 26th August, at 1 p.m., and is due here on or about the 2nd Sept., 1899.

Latest Arrivals

The O. & C. Co's s.s. *Gadic*, with mails, &c., from San Francisco to the 9th Aug., via Honolulu, has arrived at Yokohama, and left for this port on the morning of 29th Aug., via Inland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai.

The P. M. Co's s.s. *China*, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port via Honolulu, Yokohama, Inland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai, on the 25th Aug.

The C. M. Co's steamer *Peking*, from Glasgow and Liverpool, left Singapore for Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki, and

at this point the morning
A.C., and may be expected here on or
about the 4th Sept.

The Plague.

During the last few hours, said
at the Sanitary Board, there were 1 case of
plague and 1 death from that disease re-
ported to the Sanitary Board.

Our Tiger Story.

It may be advisable to state that 'our
very own' Tiger Story is not taken from a
popular book of Malayán stories recently
published by a prominent Consular Official.

Accident.

An old man employed at the excavation
of an embankment at the village of
Mr. Ti, Kowloon, this morning, was half-
killed by a landslide, and died from the
effects of the shock.

'As you like it'

As the elements seem to be against an open-air performance at this season of the year, Managers Ada Dow Currier and Jas. H. Love, and the members of the A.D.C., have concluded to give 'As you like it' in the Theatre Royal to-night. All the tickets sold will be accepted either by the Robinson Piano Co. or at the Theatre. The stage setting of the Forest of Arden will be one of the prettiest ever seen in Hongkong. The performance will be given in its entirety.

Twelve men Drowned.

Ten soldiers belonging to the 2nd

U.S. Infantry (one of the coloured regiments) was drowned in the San Mateo river near Manila on the 21st-August, through the capsizing of a raft. The men were so weighted down by their accoutrements and 200 rounds of ammunition that they quickly sank in the strong current of the muddy river. A white soldier, who saw the accident, gallantly jumped in to render assistance, and was also drowned.

An Incurable Boy.
The young criminal named Chan Fuk,

who a few weeks ago was sentenced by Mr. Gompertz, the Acting Magistrate, to be whipped for the larceny of a jacket, was again arrested yesterday by the Police for the larceny of a pair of boots. At the Magistracy yesterday, the Magistrate ordered him to be whipped. To-day he was charged at the instance of Chief Detective Inspector Hanson with disobeying an order.

of banishment. The Inspector said there were nine previous convictions against the boy and he had been convicted once of returning from banishment. The boy was incorrigible and always found his way back to the Colony. In reply to the Magistrate, the boy said he did not know anybody at Canton. Mr. Gompertz sentenced him to one year's imprisonment.

Shipping.
Steamers.

EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.
(Calling at Tison, Port Darwin and QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to ADELAIDE, NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.)

THE Steamship **ALBATROSS**, Captain HENRY, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 1st September, at 4 p.m.

This well-known Steamer is specially fitted for Passengers, and has a Refrigerating Chamber which ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions, Ice, &c., throughout the voyage.

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FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE British Steamship **GLAZIER** will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 29th instant, instead of as previously advertised.

S. S. ARGYLL will sail about 15th Sept. S. S. JOHN SANDERSON, 1st interval. S. S. ARGHANTAN, 2nd interval.

For Freight, apply to DODWELL & Co., Ltd., Agents.

Hongkong, August 23, 1899. 1612

FOR MANILA AND LONDON.

THE Steamship **DUNAV**, A. Kesselner, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 30th instant.

For Freight, &c., apply to HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, August 28, 1899. 1892

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW.

THE Company's Steamship **THALES**, Captain HALL, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 31st inst., at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAUREN & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, August 28, 1899. 1919

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U. S. Mail Line.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

Proposed Sailings from Hongkong.
City of Peking (via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Nagasaki, and Honolulu) ... Thursday, Sept. 7, at Noon.

China (via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Nagasaki, and Honolulu) ... Friday, Oct. 27, at Noon.

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CALIFORNIA AND ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

In Connection with the ATCHAFON, TOPEKA AND SANTA FE RAILROAD Co.

Proposed Sailings from Hongkong.
HONGKONG TO SAN FRANCISCO AND SAN DIEGO, VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

Taking Cargo and Passengers to JAPAN, PORTS AND HONOLULU. The UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, Etc.

S. S. *Thetis* ... 3,400 Tons ... About 15th September.

S. S. *Belgian* ... 3,570 Tons ... About 15th October.

S. S. *Carnegie* ... 3,200 Tons ... About 15th November.

Through Bills of Lading issued to any point in the United States.

Cargo will be received on board until 5 p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcels to be received at the Office until the same time. All Parcels should be marked to address in full. Value of same is required.

Consular Invoices, to accompany Cargo destined to Points beyond San Francisco, should be sent to the Company's Office, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Diego.

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, August 10, 1899. 1761

TOYO KISEN KAISHA.

TO SAN FRANCISCO, VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN & HONOLULU.

Proposed Sailings from Hongkong.
HONGKONG MARU (via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Nagasaki, and Honolulu) ... Saturday, Sept. 23, at Noon.

YIPPOON MARU (via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Nagasaki, and Honolulu) ... Thursday, Oct. 19, at Noon.

THE S. S. **HONGKONG MARU** will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA & HONOLULU, on SATURDAY, the 23rd Sept., at Noon, taking Freight and Passengers to Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Stewards of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at HONOLULU, and Passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route.

Through Passage Tickets granted to Europe, France, Germany, and all trans-Atlantic lines of steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada.

Passengers holding through ORDERS TO EUROPE have the choice of Overland Railways, to Havanna, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting steamers.

Freight will be received on board until 4 p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcels to be received at the Office until 5 p.m. the same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Office in Sailed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

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Hongkong, August 12, 1899. 1824

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Gaulle (via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Nagasaki, and Honolulu) ... Saturday, Sept. 16, at Noon.

Doric (via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Nagasaki, and Honolulu) ... Tuesday, October 10, at Noon.

Gaulle (via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Nagasaki, and Honolulu) ... Saturday, Nov. 4, at Noon.

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Through Bills of Lading issued for BATAVIA, PERISIAN GULF, CONTINENTAL AND AMERICAN PORTS.

THE Steamship **CHUAN**, Captain E. STREET, carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for BOMBAY, &c., on SATURDAY, the 2nd September, at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above Ports.

Silk and Valuable, all Cargo for France, and Tea for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into a steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and London; other cargo for London, &c., will be conveyed via Bombay.

Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 p.m. on the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are required.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Bills of Lading.

For further Particulars, apply to J. A. HITCHIE, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, August 18, 1899. 1609

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEEN, EGYPT, MADRILLES, MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUX.

PORTS OF BRAZIL & RIVER PLATE.

ON SATURDAY, the 9th September, at Noon, the Company's Steamship **EREST** (Mons. Captain DURAND), with MAILES, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for MARSEILLES via BOMBAY.

This Steamer connects at COLOMBO with the S. S. *Australien*, which vessel takes on her Passengers and Mails, leaving that Port on the 21st September, direct to SUEZ, PORT SAID and MARSEILLES.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal Places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m. Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 8th September. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office).

Contents and value of Packages are required.

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, August 26, 1899. 1909

NORDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, NAPLES, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG.

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Proposed Sailings from Hongkong.
Subject to Alteration.

Preussen ... Wednesday | Sept. 13.

Sachsen ... Wednesday | October 11.

Bayer ... Wednesday | Nov. 8.

König Albert ... Wednesday | Dec. 13.

Prinz Heinrich ... Wednesday | Dec. 27.

Preussen ... Wednesday | Jan. 24.

Sachsen ... Wednesday | Feb. 7.

Hamburg ... Wednesday | Feb. 21.

Bayer ... Wednesday | March 7.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 13th day of September, 1899, at 9 a.m., the Company's Steamship **PREUSSEN**, Captain R. HUNTER, with MAILES, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port as above, calling at NAPLES and GENOA.

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon on MONDAY, the 11th September. Cargo and Specie will be received on board until 5 p.m. on TUESDAY, the 12th Sept., and Parcels will be received at the Agency's Office until Noon on TUESDAY, the 12th Sept. Contents of Packages are required.

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LORD KITCHENER AND THE PEERS.

THE CEREMONY OF INTRODUCTION.

London, July 26.

Lord Kitchener's introduction to the House of Commons yesterday was witnessed by a dozen Peers and about the same number of noblemen.

A few members of the House of Commons were present in the Chamberlain's Gallery, and two or three Privy Counsellors and sons of Peers were ranged round the sides of the Throne, but, though it was known that Lord Kitchener would take his seat as a Peer, and that Lord Cromer would be re-introduced as a Privy Counsellor, the House was empty.

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Aniota	armoured cruiser, 1st class	5500	12	8500	Captain E. H. Bayly	Hakodate
Arcturion	battleship, 1st class	10,500	1	15,000	Hon. S. G. P. Colville, C.B.	Hakodate
Bonaventure	cruiser, 2nd class	4350	10	4500	Capt. R. A. J. Montgomery, C.B.	Hongkong
Brisk	cruiser, 3rd class	1770	6	3500	Com. R. B. S. Wrey	Nagasaki
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Daphne	sloop	1140	8	2000	—	Hakodate
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Fame	torpedo boat destroyer	290	6	5700	Lieut.-Com. R. J. Keyes	Hakodate
Fischland	gunboat, 2nd class	455	2	320	—	Hongkong
Foxy	torpedo boat destroyer	275	6	4000	—	Hongkong
Hardy	torpedo boat destroyer	275	6	4000	—	Hongkong
Hermione	cruiser, 2nd class	4350	10	4000	Capt. G. A. Callaghan	Hakodate
Huabner	storeship	1640	—	1640	Comdr. H. J. Dawson	Hakodate
Impregna	cruiser, 2nd class	3690	8	9000	Capt. H. N. Dudding	Hakodate
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Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Underwriter, Goods remaining unclaimed after Monday, the 14th September, at Noon will be subject to rent and landing charges.

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G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, August 27, 1899. 1913

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Hongkong, August 24, 1899. 1893

FROM HAMBURG, BREMEN, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE N. D. L. Steamship *Atsugi*, Capt. von BREZNER, having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Underwriter and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

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Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the HONGKONG and KOWLOON WHARF & GOWDOW COMPANY, LIMITED, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

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